## BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

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## ORDER CLOSING DOCKET

This matter came before Chairman Pat Miller, Director Sara Kyle and Director Ron Jones of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on February 28, 2005 to consider closing this docket.

## **BACKGROUND**

On August 4, 2003, during a regularly scheduled Authority Conference, the voting panel assigned to TRA Docket Nos. 03-00410 and 03-00411 conditionally approved the tariffs in these two dockets. Additionally, the panel appointed Director Ron Jones to facilitate a workshop to gather information from the telecommunications industry related to preventing violations of Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-21-114<sup>1</sup> and open a docket to receive official filings related to said workshop. The resulting docket is numbered 03-00502.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See In re Citizens Telecommunications Company of the Volunteer State Tariff to Clarify Language | Tariff Number 2003592, Docket No 03-00410, Order Conditionally Approving Tariff and Initiating "Workshop" on Preventing Violations of Tenn Code Ann § 65-21-114 (September 5, 2003); Citizens Telecommunications Company of Tennessee Tariff to Clarify Language – Tariff Number 2003593, Docket No. 03-00411, Order Conditionally Approving Tariff and Initiating "Workshop" on Preventing Violations of Tenn. Code Ann § 65-21-114 (September 8, 2003)

During the Authority Conference on January 26, 2004, the voting panel assigned to TRA Docket No. 03-00502, considered the Report on Workshop Meeting Held November 7, 2003 and Recommendation of Moderator ("Report and Recommendation") issued December 5, 2003. Based upon the recommendation, the panel voted unanimously to accept the Report and Recommendation and open a rulemaking docket<sup>2</sup> for the purpose of establishing a mechanism and related regulations to ensure compliance with Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-21-114.

On August 31, 2004, the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("Authority") filed a Notice of Rulemaking Hearing and proposed rules with the Tennessee Secretary of State for publication in the Tennessee Administrative Register. The Rulemaking Hearing was held on November 9, 2004. The Authority reviewed Docket No. 03-00502 during a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on February 28, 2005, and decided to close this docket based upon the established rulemaking and the recognition that there was nothing further to be done in the docket. For foregoing reasons, this docket is administratively closed.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Pat Miller, Chairman

Sara Kyle, Director

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See In re Rulemaking for the Purpose of Implementing Toll-Free County Wide Calling Rules, Docket No. 04-00205